

DISTINGUISHED MEMBER OF THE PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS REGIMENT



**LIEUTENANT COLONEL
SCOTT FEDORCHAK**

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Lt. Col. (Retired) Scott Fedorchak is currently an instructor of physics at Campbell University, Buies Creek, N.C. He graduated and received his commission as a second lieutenant from the United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y., with a concentration in physics and nuclear engineering. He has a master of science in business administration from Boston University, Boston, Mass., and a master of science in physics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.

His military education includes the U.S. Army's Military Police and Infantry Officer Basic and Advanced Officer Courses, the Psychological Operations Officer Course, the Combined Arms and Services Staff School, the Command and General Staff College, the U.S. Marine Corps Amphibious Warfare School and Command and Staff College, the U.S. Navy's College of Naval Command and Staff, the U.S. Air Force's Air Command and Staff College and the Air War College and the Armed Forces Staff College.

Lt. Col. Fedorchak has participated in more than 30 named military operations in all five geographic combatant commands during his more than 20 years of active military service. He was initially commissioned as a military police officer and served as a platoon leader in the 92nd Military Police Company, in Baumholder, Federal Republic of Germany, platoon leader and company executive officer, 284th Military Police Company and Assistant Battalion S3 in the 709th Military Police Battalion and 93rd Military Police Battalions in Frankfurt, Federal Republic of Germany, Battalion S-1, 759th Military Police Battalion, Fort Dix, N.J., Company Commander, 511th Military Police Company, Fort Dix, N.J., and Fort Drum, N.Y., commander, Joint Security Force, Joint Task Force Bravo, Soto Cano Air Base, Republic of Honduras and instructor and assistant professor of physics, U.S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.

He then branch transferred to the Psychological Operations branch and served as an operational detachment commander, A Company, 8th Psychological Operations Battalion (Airborne), Psychological Operations staff officer, Joint Task Force Southwest Asia, Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Company Commander, A Company, 8th Psychological Operations Battalion (Airborne), Battalion Executive Officer, 8th Psychological Operations Battalion (Airborne) at Fort Bragg, N.C., Task Force executive officer, Combined/Joint Psychological Operations Task Force, Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Senior Psychological Operations staff officer, Directorate of Operations, U.S. Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base, Fla. His last position before retirement was battalion commander, 1st Psychological Operations Battalion (Airborne) Fort Bragg, N.C.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Purple Heart Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with two oak-leaf clusters, Joint Service Commendation Medal with oak-leaf cluster, Army Commendation Medal with oak-leaf cluster, Joint Service Achievement Medal with oak-leaf cluster, Army Achievement Medal with two oak-leaf clusters, numerous U.S. and foreign campaign and service medals, the Parachutist Badge, Air Assault Badge, Ranger Tab, Federal Republic of Germany Military Efficiency Badge (Bronze) and Royal Jordanian Army Parachutist Badge.